Amount of tax.

property subject to taxation under the State law in said county of not less than five cents nor greater than fifteen cents on the one hundred dollars worth of property and not less than fifteen cents nor greater than forty-five cents on the poll, the constitutional equation to be observed at all times; said taxes to be collected as all other taxes are, to be kept separate in the tax books of the county, to be set aside as a special road fund to be used in the construction, improvement and maintenance of the public roads of the county, the purchase of such material, implements, teams, wagons, camp outfit, quarters or stockades for the use of and safekeeping of the convict force as may be found necessary in the proper carrying out of this work and for the employment of such additional labor as may be deemed necessary: Provided, however, that the moneys raised under this section shall, as far as possible, be used for permanent improvements.

Superintendent of roads.

Purposes and use of special tax.

Compensation.

Term of office.

Removal.

Duties.

Monthly report. Quarterly report.

Amount of bond.

SEC. 2. That there shall hereafter be elected by the Board of County Commissioners at their regular meeting in June, 1903, and at their regular meeting in January of each and every year thereafter, a superintendent of roads, who shall be paid such compensation as may be fixed by the Board of County Commissioners, and to be paid out of the county road fund, and who, after January, 1904, shall hold office for one year or until his successor has been elected and qualified, as provided for in this act: Provided, that the said superintendent of roads may at any time be removed by the Board of County Commissioners after having been given ten days' notice and a hearing, when in the opinion of the Board there exists good and sufficient cause for such action; and for malfeasance or misconduct in office he may be removed by them without further notice than may be necessary in order to give him a hearing. It shall be the duty of said superintendent of roads, subject to the approval of the Board of County Commissioners, to supervise, direct and have charge of the maintenance and building of all public roads in the county, and he shall submit to the Board of County Commissioners a monthly report concerning the work in progress and the moneys expended, and he shall submit quarterly a report on the condition of the public roads and bridges and plans for their improvements, and he shall include in this quarterly report an inventory of the tools, implements, teams and other equipments on hand. Said road superintendent before entering upon the duties of his office shall deposit with the Board of County Commissioners a good and lawful bond to be approved by the said Board of Commissioners, for the sum of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars as a guarantee of the faithful and honest discharge of the duties of his office, which bond shall be duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds and filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of the county. In case of the death or resignation or removal of said

Bond.

To be registered.